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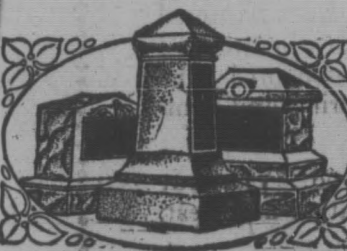
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REMINISCENCES OF OUR PIONEER DAYS

Gleanings From the Records Left
By Men Who Laid the Foundation of Our County.

On the evening of November 22, 1880, the call of the grim destroyer came quite unexpectedly to Louis Jaszynsky, one of the best known of the early residents of San Mateo county. The death, which occurred at his home at San Mateo was surrounded by peculiar circumstances. During the day he had been about the town attending to his general business as the agent of the railroad, and did not leave the depot until 7:30 in the evening, when he was apparently in his usual health. From there he started to attend a lodge meeting but was detained in conversation with an acquaintance until too late to attend the lodge. Leaving his companion, Mr. Jaszynsky went to his home, which he reached shortly before 10 o'clock. After pleasantly greeting his family, he retired to his room, saying that he felt tired and requested that he be called early in the morning but that he be not otherwise disturbed by any callers. Shortly after this his mother prepared to retire and in passing her son's room concluded to peep in and see how he was resting. Attempting to open the door she found it locked, and upon listening failed to detect any sound of her son's breathing or other noise in the room. Somewhat alarmed at this unusual condition, Mrs. Jaszynsky concluded to investigate and passing out through a window of her own room she gained admittance to the room of As she entered the room she was horrified to find her son stretched upon the floor dead. He had removed his clothing and apparently was just ready to go to bed when death overtook him. Dr. Goodspeed, the family physician, was immediately summoned, but his aid was of no avail, further than to make the announcement that death was without doubt due to a stroke of apoplexy. Deceased was a comparatively young man, being but 32 years of age. He was a native of Massachusetts, but had resided in San Mateo county since his boyhood days. That he was an active man of affairs as well as a popular citizen of his home town is shown by the fact that at the time of his death in addition to the duties of agent at San Mateo for the railroad he was also the agent for Wells, Fargo & Co's express and had charge of the local telegraph office, and added to these business duties was township justice of the peace, as well as local representative of a number of minor concerns. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge at Redwood City and his funeral was conducted by the members of that organization. He was also a member of the San Mateo Lodge of Odd Fellows, the members of which attended the funeral in a body and assisted in the last services. The last religious rites were conducted by Rev. A. L. Brewer of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church of San Mateo.

Turning from the dead to the affairs of the living, here is another notice of the advent of a citizen of San Mateo county, taken from the columns of the Times and Gazette of November 27th: "Born, in Halfmoon Bay, November 21st, 1880, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Lovie, a son."

So Mad He Couldn't Shoot.

When J. W. Bevis returned to his home at Easton Tuesday night he saw things that aroused his ire to such a degree that he attempted to take the life of H. E. Mayes by firing three shots at him. Bevis' aim was so accurate that much damage was done to the premises while Mayes escaped unhurt. Mayes was indignant and sought Justice Lamb at Burlingame from whom he secured a warrant for the arrest of Bevis for disturbing his peace. The judge fined Bevis \$25.

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That was the last message Mr. and Mrs. Eberle received from their wandering boy until April 16th when a letter was received from him from Imperial Valley in which he briefly stated that he had had enough of Mexico and was back in "God's country" again. In this letter he told of being wounded while in Mexico but the wound which was on his leg was only a slight one and he recovered quickly. He did not explain how he had secured his release from the revolutionists. In a later letter he informed his parents that he was working in Imperial and would remain in that place for a few months.

"I will be a good boy now," were his closing words, "and keep away from the revolutionists in the future."

Entertaining Club Meeting.

An exceptionally entertaining afternoon was passed at the Woman's Club on Thursday, when Mrs. H. A. Hebard of San Francisco gave an interesting talk on "The Music of the Waters." This was followed by the playing of several selections from McDowell's Sea Pieces, by Mrs. Carl Beeger, who is a musician of marked ability. Mrs. Frank Wentworth and Mrs. N. C. Cummings charmingly sang "What Are the Wild Waves Saying?" Flow, Gently, Sweet Afton," was rendered by Mrs. John D. Gish, whose beautiful soprano voice is always heard with delight, and the closing number was the quartette "Out on the Deep," given by Otis M. Carrington, Chas. Landscheit, Mrs. N. C. Cummings and Miss Gertrude Beeger. Light refreshments were served at the close of the program.

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Assessor's Instructions

To Owners of Real Estate and Personal Property.

The law requires each and every person who owns any class of property to annually during the months of March, April or May, file a statement with the Assessor or his deputy in the county where his property is located. You should give a statement of all property owned by you on the first Monday in March at 12 o'clock m.

If you hold mortgages against others send in a mortgage statement showing amount due on each mortgage on the first Monday in March at 12 o'clock m.

No changes can be made by the Assessor after he turns over his books to the Board of Supervisors on the first Monday in July. The Board then sets as a Board of Equalization during the month of July.

Remember, if you fail to give in your assessment you fail to comply with the law and may cause yourself, the Assessor and Tax Collector much trouble, and very likely cause yourself expense.

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FRATERNAL DIRECTORY

REDWOOD CITY LODGE, No. 188, F. and A. M. Stated meeting on the Saturday evening on or preceding the full of the moon, in the Odd Fellows' Hall.

For special meetings see the news columns.

E. H. WERDEN, W. M.

W. H. KELSO, Secretary.

SEQUOIA CHAPTER, No. 209, O. E. S., meets first and third Monday evenings in each month.

MADALINE B. TOWNE, W. M.

MAY COOK, Secretary.

BAY VIEW LODGE, No. 109, I. O. O. F., meets the 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings in Odd Fellows' Hall.

B. C. BERNHARDT, W. M.

J. J. ROOKER, Recording Secretary

HOPE ENCAMPMENT, No. 40, I. O. O. F., meets first and third Tuesday evenings of each month in Odd Fellows' Hall.

C. P. MOORE, C. P.

J. J. ROOKER, Scribe.

REDWOOD PARLOR, No. 65, N. S. G. W., meets the 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings of the month in the Wahl Building.

ALBERT M. MERRILL, President.

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MENLO PARLOR, No. 188, N. S. G. W., meets every Thursday evening in Duff & Doyle Hall.

THOS. F. MOLONEY, President.

C. H. SMITH, Secretary.

OURT MADRONE, No. 188, F. of A., meets every Wednesday evening in Red Men's Hall, Main street.

SEY JOCHIMSEN, Chief Ranger.

JOHN J. READ, Financial Secretary.

METAMORA TRIBE, No. 24, I. O. R. M., meets every Monday evening in Red Men's Hall, Wahl Building.

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PASSING MATTERS OF LOCAL INTEREST

News of Redwood City Boiled Down to Condensed Paragraphs.

George Britton and wife of South San Francisco spent the week-end with friends in this city.

James T. O'Keefe was able to be at his office yesterday after a severe attack of the mumps.

Mrs. J. Kearse spent the week-end in the city with her daughter, Mrs. Boyer.

P. J. Foley will arrive from Ireland early next week. He spent the past eight months in the old country and had a delightful time.

Rev. A. W. Darwall, the new rector of St. Peter's Episcopal church, will officiate at the services Sunday, both morning and evening school will meet at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Emma Reeves and Mrs. Collins are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Holden of this city. Mrs. Reeves is a sister of Mr. Holden and spent her girlhood in Redwood City.

Mrs. Fox and her daughter, Miss Bee Fox and Mr. and Mrs. Otzen have closed their home in the city where they spent the winter, and have opened their house here for the summer.

Superintendent of Schools Roy W. Cloud has been notified that the governor has signed the bill fixing the time of school trustees to take office on May first instead of July first.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Thomas will leave early next week for an extended trip through the northwest before locating in San Francisco where Mr. Thomas has secured a position with the Bank of California.

Charles Kreisel has taken charge of the Daire hotel at Woodside owned by himself, and formerly conducted by Frank Dougherty. Jas. Kane of this city has been appointed chief clerk.

The San Mateo high school will be dedicated next Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock with appropriate ceremony. Among the speakers will be David Star Jordan, Judge Buck, Superintendent of Schools Roy W. Cloud and District Attorney Franklin Swart.

D. W. Williams, the recently appointed cashier of the Redwood City Commercial Bank, has purchased an acre of land on the Edgewood road, Westley Park, on which he will shortly erect a handsome home.

Lewis Hurlbut, a former Redwood City school boy, was united in marriage to Miss Mildred Smith of San Francisco Tuesday. Mr. Hurlbut is an architect with offices in the Mills building, San Francisco. The bride is a handsome and talented young woman.

Frank T. Bartlett was here Wednesday bidding farewell to his numerous friends in this city. He has gone to Sacramento to engage in the real estate business. Mr. Bartlett will be connected with one of the largest real estate firms in the Capital city. His friends in this county wish him all kind of success.

All jury-men will now receive \$3 a day for serving on juries in stead of \$2. The bill raising the fee was recently signed by the governor. Those who served on the jury that tried the damage suit of Samuel H. Shear against the Southern Pacific Company received \$3 a day and mileage.

Redwood City Lodge No. 168, F. & A. M., will hold a special meeting this Saturday evening for the purpose of conferring the second degree of Masonry. All Master Masons are invited to attend.

Johnson & Stevenson, who have been conducting an extensive shoe business at 244 Main street, announce that they are retiring from the business. In order to dispose of the stock within the next three weeks a big reduction in prices of all goods in the store is announced.

Mrs. J. S. Hughes was here calling on friends during the fore part of the week. She stopped off on her way home to Santa Cruz. She had been visiting her son J. B. Hughes and his family at Oroville. They will leave for a trip to Europe next month when Mr. Hughes' school closes and will be gone three months. Mr. Hughes has been principal of the Oroville high school for several years and is an educator with a state wide reputation.

The meeting of Embarkadero Camp, Woodmen of the World on Thursday evening was an unusually pleasant affair and called out a good attendance. After the business meeting refreshments were served and a game of cards enjoyed. The members were so well pleased with the evening's pleasure that the social hour is to be made a feature of the meetings in the future.

Redwood City people express much appreciation for the liberality of the Manager Nathorst of the Bell house for frequent benefit performances. Certainly the public is well treated both as to liberal management and character of performances. Nothing in the slightest way objectionable is ever permitted at the Bell.

Walton Maloney, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Maloney, met with a serious accident while playing with companions at his home on Wednesday. He was thrown heavily to the sidewalk and struck on the back of his head. It was first thought his skull was fractured but on close examination it was found the injuries were not so serious. Dr. Ross was called and a specialist from Gardner's Sanitarium at Belmont. The little fellow was unconscious for six hours. He is now up and recovering nicely.

Tax Collector McSwenney has collected the sum of \$15,680 on the second installment of taxes leaving a very small delinquency. Mr. McSwenney demonstrated his efficiency

CLEARING WAY FOR CITY'S PROGRESS

Council Considers Franchise for Local Electric Railway Transportation

PEOPLE GIVE HEARTY SUPPORT

Officials and Citizens Unite to Aid in Furtherance of Plans for Making Great Business Center.

But for the official appearance of the council table, last Monday's session of the city council might well have been taken for a booster's meeting. From the time Chairman Merrill called the meeting to order and the call of the roll by City Clerk Plump showed all of the Trustees in their seats and ready for business, confidence in the future of Redwood City and a determination to aid in the furtherance of its material interests was the burden of every talk, whether by the trustees or spectators, of whom many were in attendance. Street railways for the city was the special attraction of the occasion, and aid and support of the project as introduced by Judge E. F. Fitzpatrick was the expression of the unanimous sentiment. While there were slight differences of opinion as to the most suitable routes, all were agreed that the prime essential for the progress of the city was the construction of the line and each expressed a willingness to concede his special preferences to the general good.

At the same time there was a general disposition to give the subject a thorough business discussion, and full opportunity was given for the expression of individual opinion, both as to the route to be taken and the term of the existence of the privileges to be given. While in some instances at least it was considered that under ordinary circumstances the franchise of this character should be limited to a term of not to exceed 25 years, the sentiment which seemed to prevail was that the conditions of this enterprise were a little out of the ordinary in that the proposed road was not entering a field already developed and offering prospects of immediate profit from transportation awaiting its coming, but rather proposed to aid in the development of the city and its environs which eventually make the business a profitable one in its self. With this view the consensus of opinion seemed to be that in asking for a franchise of 50 years nothing exorbitant in the way of privilege was demanded. This was also the more readily conceded upon the expectation that the proposed road was to be controlled by local capital and thus that its builders and managers were to be men who were equally interested in the general welfare of the city.

Before the council took up the special business for which the session had been convened, Clerk Plump presented a communication from the secretary of the California League of Municipalities calling attention to the Municipal Congress and International Exposition to be held at Chicago in September of this year and urging that the city make some exhibit. It was suggested that a series of colored stereopticon slides would be shown, the cost of each picture exhibited to be \$10, and that a souvenir was to be published with illustrated advertising of each section at the rate of \$100 per page. This seemed to strike the trustees as a rather expensive proposition and the matter was referred to the recently formed San Mateo County Development Board with the idea that some cooperative plan might be adopted.

When Mayor Merrill announced that the applicant of Judge Fitzpatrick for a franchise for the proposed railway was the subject for consideration A. M. Robertson addressed the council, urging that extreme care be taken in granting a franchise of this character to protect the future interests of the city and especially as to the depot as might shut out further applicants who might be attracted by the development of the city, which he believed would be rapid in the future. Pleaded ignorance of the conditions set out in the application. Mr. Robertson asked that this be read for the information of all. This request was granted and as City Clerk Plump read the application all gave close attention to its provisions and the restrictions suggested by the applicant. Mr. Robertson then stated that while he believed that the use of Center street by the road would be a benefit to his property he was inclined to think this route might be eliminated as a protection for future demands from other roads.

In reply to this suggestion, the statement was made that the use of this route would not operate in the manner suggested as the general law provided for a joint use of tracks on any street, thus settling the contention on this point.

Chairman Merrill suggested that the portion of the road in the business center might be made a loop, the cars going one way over Main and Broadway, while those returning took the route through Center street, a proposal which seems to meet with general acceptance. Both the line should be built over both routes Mr. Merrill fully believed for the reason that the business men satisfied him that the business men generally desired that the traffic from all directions should be brought to the business center of the city, and this could be accomplished in no other manner, and further this would obviate the necessity for more than a single

READY TO BOOST SAN MATEO COUNTY

Business Men Organize to Work For Promotion of Local Advancement

ENTIRE COUNTY TO BENEFIT

Men of Every Profession Join in Enthusiastic Support of Move for County Publicity.

The San Mateo County Development Association was organized in the court room of the Superior Court last Saturday afternoon under most favorable auspices.

W. A. Brewer, the well-known educator of San Mateo called the meeting to order and he was unanimously elected president of the association. Mr. Brewer made a very happy speech in accepting the honor bestowed upon him.

Prior to the county mass meeting a meeting of the board of governors of the association was held which was called to order by Temporary Chairman W. J. Martin of South San Francisco. Subsequently Martin was elected vice president of the permanent organization, Fred H. Green of Millbrae, secretary, and H. C. Tuchen of Redwood City, treasurer.

The subject most thoroughly discussed at the meeting was transportation. That San Mateo county is retarded in its growth by lack of proper transportation facilities and by excessive rates charged by the Southern Pacific company was repeatedly asserted. Communications received from Justice Fred W. Henshaw of the state supreme court and from Henry P. Bowie of Hillsborough and San Mateo commented particularly on the inadequate transportation facilities of the county.

In reviewing the transportation problems of San Mateo county, Justice Henshaw spoke of the fact that there was direct train service between San Francisco and peninsula points, yet the transbay Alameda shore suburbs developed more rapidly than San Mateo county. The reason of this condition is the fact that the transportation into this county is inadequate and as an example he pointed to Los Angeles with its many lines radiating out from the city, with speedy and frequent service, with the result that tens of thousands of people live along the lines of the roads and transact their business in Los Angeles. Such should be the condition touching San Francisco and San Mateo county, and in his mind, one of the first endeavors of the organization should be to aid in every way the securing of adequate transportation facilities.

"The reason is at hand. It is due solely to the inadequate transportation facilities and the abominable roads, from which the county has suffered.

"In these modern times distance from a city is not counted by miles, but by time. If you are an hour from the city you are in its suburbs.

"If transportation facilities are adequate you have a condition like that of Los Angeles, where electric roads reach out in all directions from the city for 20, 30, or 40 miles where the service is speedy and frequent, with the result that tens of thousands of people live along the lines of the roads and transact their business in Los Angeles. Such should be the condition touching San Francisco and San Mateo county, and to my mind, one of the first endeavors of the organization should be to aid in every way the securing of adequate transportation facilities."

W. J. Martin urged an increase in transportation facilities to the extent of inviting capital to come into the county by a generous

DOINGS ABOUT THE COUNTY OFFICES

Matters of General Interest to Litigants Culled from the Public Records.

New Building Contracts

The following builders' contracts were filed in the recorder's office during the week:

Thomas W. Walton agrees to do the plumbing work on the two story frame building of Henry N. Stetson in Burlingame Park in 60 days for \$675.

Weeden Brothers agree to erect for Mortine Fleishaker by November first, a two story plaster dwelling complete, at Woodside for \$28,000.

New Citizens Admitted.

Chief Examiner P. W. Blazer of the U. S. attorney's office of San Francisco was here Tuesday and examined thirty applicants for citizenship of which number eight were passed, as follows: Robert Robinson; Ireland; John Frederick Turner; Sweden; George Farrell, England; Camil Andregren, Switzerland; John Gonsalys Loureiri, Azores Islands; Prosper Bou, France; Manuel Jesus Soto, Chile; William E. Dale, England.

New Actions Filed.

M. A. Rich has brought suit in the Superior Court against C. B. Smith and others to foreclose on a mortgage on property in the Halfmoon Bay Colony. The amount sought to be recovered is \$5210 and interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, from December 24th, 1910 and attorney fees in the sum of \$265. The loan was made on December 22, 1908.

The Schwerin Estate Company has brought suit in the superior court against John Krenschers and others to quiet title to lot seven, in block twelve, Visitation Valley.

Two Divorces Granted.

Judge Duck has granted an interlocutory decree of divorce to Nellie Ames from her husband, Joseph H. Ames on the grounds of wilful desertion. Mrs. Ames was permitted to resume her maiden name, Nellie Dam.

Judge Duck has granted an interlocutory decree of divorce to Joseph C. Borges from her husband, John C. Borges on the ground of cruelty. The couple were married in Boston on May 7th, 1872. There are three minor children and plaintiff was granted the custody of same. Real estate valued at \$1,500 was amicably settled between the parties of the suit.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued during the week by County Clerk Nash:

Thomas O'Keefe, aged 32 and Sadie Hoey, aged 27, both of San Francisco.

Sidney A. Sitt aged 22, Point Richmond and Hanna M. Iverson, aged 22, Point Arena, Mendocino Co.

T. H. Perry, aged 22, and M. V. Arnold, aged 19, both of San Jose.

Herbert Summer, aged 25, and Emma Meetzner, aged 18, both of San Francisco.

William B. Farlow, aged 33 and Ethel E. Ross, aged 23, Burlingame.

Chas. G. Harris, aged 23, Eureka, Humboldt county, and Ruth I. Dale, aged 25, Redwood City.

A. R. Polton, aged 47, New Orleans and Julia B. Bates, aged 27, Chicago.

John Martin, aged 21, and Ella Silva, aged 17, both of Halfmoon Bay.

Joseph Marini, aged 31, Rose Torre, aged 27, both of San Francisco.

John Chadwick, aged 32 and Myrtlee Nolan, aged 18, both of San Francisco.

Samuel E. Knowles, aged 24, and Hattie E. Drever, aged 22, both of San Francisco.

Superior Court Orders.

San Mateo Planing Mill Co. vs. W. E. Hamburg et al. Decree granted.

J. H. Doolittle vs. Oliver Kehrlin, et al. Judgment as per stipulation.

R. Borelli vs. Matilda Borelli. Demurrer submitted.

James Maguire et al. vs. John Kelly, et al. Trial of action set for May 2d.

Carmel Kendall vs. J. C. Green, et al. Order to show cause continued to May 4th.

Carl W. Elfvig vs. Althea Walker. Order to show cause continued to May 4th.

Alice Morris vs. Robert Morris. Petition to modify decree continued two months.

Nora L. Joseph vs. M. V. Joseph. Order to show cause continued two months.

Harry Johnson vs. Nellie Johnson. Order made allowing attorney fees in the sum of \$50 and alimony in the sum of \$40 a month.

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Interesting Paragraphs of Personal News Gathered About Town.

Thomas Breeze and family are here for the summer. Mrs. Breeze will entertain considerably this season.

The Latham McMullens will be down from the city the first of the month to occupy the MacBain cottage for the summer.

The Menlo Park hotel is being painted and put in fine condition for the summer trade. Joe Gull and Chas. Poole are doing the work. They are both expert mechanics.

Freight shipments to this point have increased considerably since the first of the year which shows that the community is growing rapidly. The shipments have doubled since 1909.

H. S. Lincoln and family have moved down from the city to occupy their attractive home in Linda Vista Park. Mr. Lincoln is a prominent railroad official.

Miss Margaret Keill, who underwent an operation at the Peninsula Hospital last week, is recovering nicely and will leave the hospital in about ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Moore have returned from a motoring trip through the southern part of the state and are occupying their beautiful home at Fair Oaks for the summer.

Mrs. C. Christiansen cooks tamales and enchiladas and other Spanish dishes to order at her place of business in the Coxenblock. Try these delicious viands and come back for more.

Mary E. Crane, wife of Matthew Crane and sister-in-law of Eugene Crane of this place, passed away in San Francisco Wednesday. Deceased was an estimable woman beloved by all who knew her.

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READY TO BOOST SAN MATEO COUNTY

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ENTIRE COUNTY TO BENEFIT

Men of Every Profession Join in Enthusiastic Support of Move for County Publicity.

The San Mateo County Development Association was organized in the court room of the Superior Court last Saturday afternoon under most favorable auspices.

W. A. Brewer, the well-known educator of San Mateo called the meeting to order and he was unanimously elected president of the association. Mr. Brewer made a very happy speech in accepting the honor bestowed upon him.

Prior to the county mass meeting a meeting of the board of governors of the association was held which was called to order by Temporary Chairman W. J. Martin of South San Francisco. Subsequently Martin was elected vice president of the permanent organization, Fred H. Green of Millbrae, secretary, and H. C. Tuchen of Redwood City, treasurer.

The subject most thoroughly discussed at the meeting was transportation. That San Mateo county is retarded in its growth by lack of proper transportation facilities and by excessive rates charged by the Southern Pacific company was repeatedly asserted. Communications received from Justice Fred W. Henshaw of the state supreme court and from Henry P. Bowie of Hillsborough and San Mateo commented particularly on the inadequate transportation facilities of the county.

In reviewing the transportation problems of San Mateo county, Justice Henshaw spoke of the fact that there was direct train service between San Francisco and peninsula points, yet the transbay Alameda shore suburbs developed more rapidly than San Mateo county. The reason of this condition is the fact that the transportation into this county is inadequate and as an example he pointed to Los Angeles with its many lines radiating out from the city, with speedy and frequent service, with the result that tens of thousands of people live along the lines of the roads and transact their business in Los Angeles. Such should be the condition touching San Francisco and San Mateo county, and in his mind, one of the first endeavors of the organization should be to aid in every way the securing of adequate transportation facilities.

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Matters of General Interest to Litigants Culled from the Public Records.

New Building Contracts

The following builders' contracts were filed in the recorder's office during the week:

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Weeden Brothers agree to erect for Mortine Fleishaker by November first, a two story plaster dwelling complete, at Woodside for \$28,000.

New Citizens Admitted.

Chief Examiner P. W. Blazer of the U. S. attorney's office of San Francisco was here Tuesday and examined thirty applicants for citizenship of which number eight were passed, as follows: Robert Robinson; Ireland; John Frederick Turner; Sweden; George Farrell, England; Camil Andregren, Switzerland; John Gonsalys Loureiri, Azores Islands; Prosper Bou, France; Manuel Jesus Soto, Chile; William E. Dale, England.

New Actions Filed.

M. A. Rich has brought suit in the Superior Court against C. B. Smith and others to foreclose on a mortgage on property in the Halfmoon Bay Colony. The amount sought to be recovered is \$5210 and interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, from December 24th, 1910 and attorney fees in the sum of \$265. The loan was made on December 22, 1908.

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Two Divorces Granted.

Judge Duck has granted an interlocutory decree of divorce to Nellie Ames from her husband, Joseph H. Ames on the grounds of wilful desertion. Mrs. Ames was permitted to resume her maiden name, Nellie Dam.

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Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued during the week by County Clerk Nash:

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Sidney A. Sitt aged 22, Point Richmond and Hanna M. Iverson, aged 22, Point Arena, Mendocino Co.

T. H. Perry, aged 22, and M. V. Arnold, aged 19, both of San Jose.

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William B. Farlow, aged 33 and Ethel E. Ross, aged 23, Burlingame.

Chas. G. Harris, aged 23, Eureka, Humboldt county, and Ruth I. Dale, aged 25, Redwood City.

A. R. Polton, aged 47, New Orleans and Julia B. Bates, aged 27, Chicago.

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Joseph Marini, aged 31, Rose Torre, aged 27, both of San Francisco.

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Superior Court Orders.

San Mateo Planing Mill Co. vs. W. E. Hamburg et al. Decree granted.

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